

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Clark	Examiner:	McIntosh III
Application No.:	10/828,753	Group Art Unit:	1623
Filed:	April 21, 2004	Docket No.:	60137.0002USU1
Title:	Modified Fluorinated Nucleoside Analogues		
Confirmation No.	5481		

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed March 30, 2007, said period of response being extended from June 30, 2007 to September 30, 2007.

Please charge \$1,020 extension of time fee for a large entity and any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.



Respectfully submitted,  
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel R. Evans". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Date: September 12, 2007